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Our Nurseries are situated near to Surbiton Station (London and South-Western Railway). Visitors are invited during March and April to see our magnificent Collection of Daffodils in flower (see notice of a visit to our Nurseries on page 3); in April and May, Tulips, etc.; and during Summer and Autumn to see our Collection of Hardy Perennials and Alpines, and many rare and beautiful Bulbous Plants. Cab fare from Surbiton Station to Pound Farm entrance of Nursery is 1s.; to main entrance, which is within a hundred yards of Pound Farm entrance, 2s. Cabs are always to be had at Surbiton Station.

for 1898.

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BARR'S Gold Medal Daffodils.

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VISITORS INVITED to see the Grand Collections of Spring Flowers in Bloom at our Nurseries, Long Ditton (Surbiton Station, L. & S. W. Ry.).

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BARR'S DAFFODILS.

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Numerous AWARDS and FIRST-CLASS CERTIFICATES
have also been given to individual varieties.

THE GREAT DAFFODIL CONFERENCE OF 1896,

HELD AT THE GARDENS OF THE ROYAL BOTANIC SOCIETY, REGENT'S PARK, April 14th & 15th, 1896.

Extract from the Daily Telegraph, April 15th, 1896.—"Yesterday was consecrated to THE DAFFODIL.... in the famous garden of the Regent's Park. Learned, artistic, and esthetic ladies and gentlemen lectured, discussed, and conferred about the Daffodil in the Botanical Museum, under the presidency of Mr. J. G. Baker, of the Royal Herbarium, Kew. Botanists of experience and rare talent went Daffodil mad. They gave us its early history, they traced it from its first wood-block engraving, they told us how to grow it in the garden and how to plant it on the grass they showed us the Daffodil in art, the Daffodil in decoration, and the Daffodil of the dado and afternoon tea-cloth," &c.

Extract from The Garden, April 18th, 1836.—"A collection of Daffodils of almost hewildering extent and splendour was exhibited by Messrs. Barr & Sons, of Covent Garden. This exhibit was magnificent, by far the finest of its kind in the Show. The flowers were in splendid condition, finely grown, brilliantly coloured, and effectively staged."

Extract from The Times, April 16th, t896.—" The most noticeable feature was the exhibit of Messrs. Barr & Sons, of Covent Garden, representing almost every species of Daffoldi."

A FEW SPRING NOTES ON BARR'S DAFFODILS, 1897.

Extract from "The Garden," April 3rd, 1897.

DAFFODILS AT LONG DITTON.

The splendid collection of Daffodils in the nursery of Messrs. Barr and Sons, Long Ditton, is now in full beauty, and an excellent opportunity is given of comparing and seeing the many beautiful forms in cultivation. Space at present is too limited to enter into details, but we may mention that a collection plainly labelled has been arranged, so that visitors can compare readily the various types and note distinctions between them. One can get some idea of the extent of the Daffodil growing when it is mentioned that there are upwards of forty long beds devoted to the now popular Barril conspicuus, a remarkably robust and graceful kind, its yellow flowers relieved by a bright orange cup. Amongst the seedlings were some very promising forms, such as Madame Plemp, a noble Daffodil, rich yellow trumpet and bold broad creamy white segments; Glory of Leyden, Weardale Perfection, Golden Queen, a very handsome variety of the maximus type, with broad, rich yellow trumpet and segments of similar colour, and Snowflake, n lovely white Daffodil, strong and free. We may draw attention also to the collection of Dog's-tooth Violets and Fritillaries now in bloom."

Extract from the "Daily News," April 6th, 1897.

A GREAT DISPLAY OF DAFFODILS.

"Ir bas been a trying scason for florists, for after a long period of excessive rain has come a time of hipping cold, and in the stead of genial sunshine there bave been shrewd winds that do not favour early growtb. That, of course, is a remark that applies generally, for in the case of Daffodils and other bulbous flowers some very fine things have been produced this spring in spite of adverse circumstances. Messrs Barr and Sons, the well-known growers of Daffodils at Covent Garden and Long Ditton, bave at the latter place acre upon acre of these splendid golden flowers in the utmost perfection of bloom. It says much indeed for the skill with which specialists proceed that Daffodils can be made to endure so long. By planting at the proper season there may be obtained even in the early days of February such a good variety as the Cyclamineus, one of the earliest of all Daffodils, followed by Pallidus præcox, Princeps, and the Tenby Daffodll, a fine flower found growing wild in Wales. With these and other kinds can a succession of the choicest blooms be maintained right down to the flowering of the Phensant's Eye Narcissus, in May. That covers a period of nearly four months, beginning with the very first buds of winter and continuing till the floral season of the summer is well nigh at its beight. Of course to do all that requires a little knowledge and care. Our representative put the point to Mr. Barr, who explained how much one could do by the proper preparation of the soil and the careful selections of 'sorts' to be grown. For situation, a slope with a north-west aspect is particularly good. As to varietics, there are certainly many to choose from. For Daffodils have been brought from Spain, Portugal, Holland, Ireland, Wales, and elsewhere, and either by introductions from abroad or hybridising at home there are at least two or three hundred kinds to choose from. To grow them is a study and a bobby. Mr. Barr was good enough to point out some of the leading varieties and their differences, taking those now at their best. There was the Emperor, a flower of a heautiful soft primrose hue. The Empress, beside it, was distinct in having white petals with a trumpet of deep yellow. Mrs. Langtry, again, is a Daffodil of white bloom, known as free flowering and a strong grower, a kind which any one might plant with advantage. Minnie Hume, close by, is much more widely expanding, and is creamy in colour. Maximus is perbaps the fullest yellow of all Daffodils, but not the freest flowering. J. B. M. Camm has a wonderfully fine trumpet, making it one of the pretticst Daffodils grown, while Mrs. Camm is known as a slighter and a whiter flower. A very distinct variety, too, is the William Goldring, as all the petals hang over the trumpet, which is white, and in its graceful bend is likened only to the swan's neck. The Victoria is a new variety introduced this scason, its characteristics being a very large trampet and very large petals, the trumpet being yellow and the petals of an ivory tiut. Barril Conspicuus, again, is a very wide-spreading flower, the edges of the cup being tinted with orange-scarlet, and it is said that this flower has a peculiar power of lasting long in water. The small Sulphur Hoop Pettleoat Duffodil makes a decided contrast, the sulphur indicating its colour and the drooping hoop its shape. Sunta Marin rejoices in long corkscrew-like petals, Sir Watkin is a fine large flower that towers bigh; and C. J. Buckhouse claims to possess the deepest orange trumpet that there is. Queen of Spain is a bright sulphur yellow Dallodil that flowers freely, and a great thing with amateurs, remains in bloom for an exceptionally long period. Weardnle Perfection is said to be the largest Daffodil grown, and John Nelson is widely known as a beautiful yellow flower with a peculiarly fine trumpet, These varieties, it will be seen, are all distinct, but they do not by any means exhaust the list, and Messrs. Barr are ever adding new ones."

Extract from the "Westminster Gazette," 12th April, 1897.

HOLLAND IN SURREY.

A SUGGESTION FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

Together with the anticipated pleasures of the Easter holidays, the small, but very real, "holiday burdens" are also approaching. One of these is always the great question as how to spend the holidays to best advantage. Those who have the time and the opportunity for "going away" have probably by this time "worried out" some holiday haunt away from town which has the reputation for heing snitable for Easter pleasurings. But those who stay at home, and can only take their ease at places whence they can get bome the same evening, are still in the throes of holiday composition. It is to them that we would give a word of advice. Twenty minutes hy rail from Waterloo, and ten minutes' walk from Surbiton Station, a piece of Holland, when Holland is at its very hest in springtime, has been conjured up, and we have no hesitation in saying that the prettiest and gladdest of spring sights in or near London are the large bulb plantations of Messrs. Barr and Sons, at Surbiton.

The river side suburh itself is as pretty as any place near London; it is bursting into the green in every part, and its lanes and roads are perfect for cyclists as well as pedestrians. And there, amid the greenery, is spread ont a most wonderful sight. Millions of great and glorious spring flowers are out in bloom. At one moment, as you walk along the road, you eatch sight of a bed of a bundred thousand Daffodils (this is no figure of speech, but a fact) rising above their cool-green foliage, each blossom a perfect golden star. As a background to these, or to a great bed of gleaming yellow tulips, you have the exquisite foliage of acres of Chinese pæonies, with their tints of copper and bronze and deepest red. Again, it seems as if a piece of the blue sky had fallen upon the ground, where an army of sweet-scented grape hyacinths stands in serried ranks, or turning in yet another direction, your eye falls upon wonderful beds of early tulips, forming dazzling dreams of colour.

But the Daffodils are best. There are between 500 and 600 varieties in this priceless collection at Surbiton; a few are over, but for a week and more to come the show will be at its very hest. Outside Haarlem and Leyden, where the Dutch hyacinths and other hulhous plants are now stretching away the carpet of their bloom to where the dnnes shut out the sea, there is no such sight to be seen as that at Messrs, Barr and Sons' nurseries at Surbiton.

Lovers of Daffodils will be interested in the fact that among the new varieties which are this year brought out is a magnificent flower, appropriately named "Victoria." This is an even finer blossom than the large "Emperor," and wears, like him, two shades of pure gold. The "Queen of Spain," paler and smaller, is also fully out; the "Duchess of Westminster," another very beautiful Daffodil, the "Gloria Mundl," and the dainty, lily-like "Mrs. Langtry," and many others are in full bloom, and among the small fry there is none that is quainter than the little "Hoop Petticoat," while, for graceful form and colonr, the "Angel's Tears" Daffodil stands narivalled.

There is a story attached to the name of the latter. Mr. Barr, senior, on one of his rambles in Spain, discovered the flower somewhere high up in the mountains, and gave his lad orders to go and dig the bulbs up. The day was hot, and Angel (such was the youth's poetic name) shed copious tears at the idea of digring bulbs in the sun. Wherenpon Mr. Barr, on sending home the hulbs, alluded to them jestingly as "Angel's tears," and the name has adhered to the Naccissus triandrus allus from that day forth.

Extract from the "Echo," 3rd May, 1897.

DAFFODILS.

Some kindly soul, a reader of The Echo, has sent me a bunch of Barr's Daffodils. For classic elegance of form, delicacy of golden tones, and a certain pungent fragrance, suggestive of April sheen and shower, there is no flower not even the rose, can rival the Daffodil. So I put them with some of the blades in a vase in my open window, to refresh the eye of the wayfarer and enable me to enjoy the fragrance which a soft April breeze wafts in.

These charming flowers have been in evidence since January. The consignments from the Continent were promptly followed by tons daily from the Scilly Islands. But the very choicest varieties are of later growth. In Messrs. Barr and Sons' grounds at Long Ditton there are still thousands of blooms, many of them exquisitely heantiful. Among so many varieties, all of which are chastely beantiful, one may mention a few of the more strikingly handsome. "Victoria" is a new hardy variety, named in honour of the Jubilec. "Weardale Perfection" and "Glory of Leiden" are magnificent flowers. So, indeed, are the Emperor, Empress, and Sir'Wutkin, Horsefieldi, Maximus and Golden Spur. Among the choicer "Peerless" Daffodils one has flowers of most delicate has, from white to pale primrose and orange. Leedsii "Maria M. de Graaff," Leedsii "Beatrice" and "Princess of Wales," are nearly white; the latter with a spreading cup elegantly frilled. Nothing can exceed in gracefulness and chasteness of golden tones these beautiful flowers for decorative purposes. But one cannot help admiring, too, that gem, the "Queen of Spain," gathered wild by Mr. Barr during one of his rambles in Spain. There is much to see still in the 20 acres devoted to Daffodils at Long Ditton.

Visitors invited to see Barr's Daffodils in Bloom, March and April.

CULTURE, ADAPTATION, Erc., OF THE DAFFODIL.

For beds, mixed borders and shrubberies, the Daffodil surpasses all Spring flowers in beauty and for general effect, and when it is naturalized in grass, in orchards, woodlands, meadows, on sloping hanks, and margins of lakes and ponds, the effect is superb. All Daffodils may be naturalized out of doors. Many sorts which do not thrive when cultivated in gardens will succeed if planted out in the orchard, meadow, or on hedgerows, or grassy banks sloping towards the north, and left undisturbed. In such places the noble flowers of the Daffodil are seen to great advantage, especially when associated with other spring flowers like Scillas, Chionodoxas, Snowdrops, Lencojums, Muscavis, &c. The slender and dwarf-growing kinds, Nanus, Minimus, Juncifollus, Trlandrus, Corbularius, Cyclamineus, etc., do well on rockwork and select places in grass; we can also recommend, in the case of these slender growing little Daffodils, carpeting the ground with close-growing and surface-rooting creeping plants, such as the Thymus Serpyllum varieties, Thymus lanuginosus, Herniaria glabra, etc., these providing a natural protection for the little bulbe, hesides keeping their dainty blooms from heing splashed and soiled in rainy weather; Minimus, Juncifolius, and Trlandrus are found wild in mountain pastures where the soil is shallow and firm; Corbularia and Cyclamineus where the soil is soft and wet in winter and spring. Mr. T. H. Burronghes, Stamford, has, since 1887, grown successfully Corbularia citrina as a semi-aquatic in milk pans and other contrivances without drainage, sunk into the ground so that the tops of the paus are four inches below the surface. Peaty soil is then filled in to the level of the surrounding ground; in the upper four inches, which is always moist, the hulbs are planted and root into the lower soil, which should be perpetually wet. We recommend Mr. Burroughes' culture, having followed it with success at our Nurseries. Tho bottom of a rock garden would also admirably suit, as the drainage from the rockwork would accomplish this without extra labour. Rev. Charles Watson, Largs, grows N. Cyclamineus with great success in moist loam under a wall facing the north-east.

For pot-culture The Daffodil is invaluable, affording in early Spring a charming decoration for the greenhouse and sitting-room; its flowers, with their delicate shades, form a pleasing contrast to Hyacinths and Tulips.

Daffodil flowers can be had from January to Jane, Firstly, by planting early, in pots or boxes to force, and, Secondly, by planting out-doors, in succession, from September to Christmas. The late plantings flower in May.

In arranging Daffodils for effect in the flower garden, or in potting up for indoor decoration, let it he borne in mind they bloom in natural succession, particulars of which are given under the heading of each group. First, the Trumpet Daffodils which are among the earliest, one following the other from February to May. Seconn, Incomparahilis, Barrii, Leedsii, Odorus, Triandrus, Early-flowering Poeticus, and Burhidgeis, which hegin flowering in March and succeed each other till May. There, Nelsoni, Tridymus, Backhousei, Bernardi, and Jonquils. Fourth, Biflorus, late-flowering Poeticus and Burbidgeis, Schizanthes and Gracilis, which form a succession of flowers till Jane. In the middle season, representatives from all the groupe may be found in bloom at the same time, therefore, those who can make but one visit to our Bulh Nurseries at Surbiton should do so in April. When grown under glass, all the Daffodils flower probably a month carlier than the periods above named.

CULTURE AND ADAPTATION OUT OF DOORS.—The Daffodil may be grown in any soil and situation, but likes best a good pasture loam, and, in the warmer parts of England, a situation should be chosen facing north or north-west, but protected from cutting winds. The ammoniacal compounds in manure are poison to the Daffodils, and therefore should be avoided. Very poor soils may be rendered suitable by manuring and taking a potate crop off, after which Daffodils may safely be planted, and, as a harmless and good stimulant, bone meal may be mixed with the soil in the proportion of $1\frac{1}{2}$ oz. to the square yard or 4 cwt. per acre. In planting, the top of the bulb should be two to three inches below the surface, according to its size; permanent Daffodil beds, etc., may be made gay during summer and antumn with many beautiful showy hardy annuals, which should be sown in the spring. For such beds use the large-flowering trumpet varieties, also Incomparabilis, Barrii, Leedsii, Nelsoni, and Burbidgei varieties; for edginge, use the dwarf growing kinds, Cyclaminens, Minor, Nanus, Minimus, Triandrus albus, Juncifolius, and Corbularias. White Trumpet Daffodils more especially thrive best in a shady situation.

CULTURE AND ADAPTATION INDOORS.—Use three to six bulbs of strong-growing sorts, according to size of bulb, for a 4 or 5-inch pot; of small-growing kinds, such as N. Minimas, Nanus, Minor, Cyclamineus, Triandrus, Janeifolius, and Corbalaria, a greater number of bulbs should be used. These dwarf-growing, small-flowered species are most charming in pots (see "Rock-Garden" Collections, page 7). If Daffodils are grown in quantity for cutting early in the season, plant thickly in boxes, 5 to 6 inches deep, and only just cover the bulbs with soil, using ordinary potting soil. The pots or boxes should then be placed out of doors, on a bed of ashes, and covered with 6 inches of the same material, or with cocoa fibre, if it can be had. When the hulbs bave filled the pots or boxes with roots, and made an inch or two of top growth, portions should be removed indoors, in succession, first of all to a cold frame or cool greenhouse, where they should remain for a few days until the foliage has attained its natural green colour, and then to a moist forcing house when a plentiful supply of water should be given and care be taken that the plants do not get drawn from an insufficient supply of light and air.

BARR'S DAFFODIL PRIZES to be awarded to successful Competitors, Spring, 1808.

AN ELEGANT SILVER DAFFODIL FLOWER VASE, also a handsome SILVER DAFFODIL CUP, and other Prizes, will be offered by Messrs. BARR & Sons, for Competition, Spring, 1898. Full particulars will be given later.

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EMBRACING GROUPS MAGNI-CORONATI, MEDIO-CORONATI, and PARVI-CORONATI

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Consisting of the following fine distinct varieties, selected from Groups I., II., and III., and suitable either for pot-culture or for the flower border.

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3 Bicoler grandis

.. Empress

3 Marchioness of Lorne

3 Incomparabilis Gwyther

3 ,, Queen Bess

3 ,, Sir Watkiu

3 Barrii conspicuus

3 Leedsii Mrs. Langtry

3 Nelsoni Mrs. C. J. Backhouse

3 Odorus rugulosus

3 Burbidgei John Bain

3 .. Vanessa

Should our Customers already possess any of the sorts named in the foregoing Collections, we shall be pleased to substitute other varieties.

BARR'S "EXHIBITION" Collections of High Class DAFFODILS.

SELECTED FROM GROUPS 1., II., AND III.

For Amateurs who wish to successfully compete at Spring Flower Shows for Daffodil Prizes.

3 each, 100 vars., £6 6 0, £8 8 0, & £10 10 0 6 each, 100 vars., £11 11 0, £14 14 0, & £18 18 0 3 .. 50 2 0, £3 3 0, & £4 6,, 50 ,. £2 4 0 £3 10 0, £5 10 0, & £7 10 0 6 ., 25 25 .. £1 1 0, £2 2 0, & £3 3 0 £1 18 0, £3 17 6, & £4 15 0 12 £0 10 6, £0 15 0, & £1 1 0 6 12 £1 0 0, £1 7 6, & £1 18 0

DAFFODIL SEED FOR AUTUMN SOWING.

CHOICE MIXTURE saved from our magnificent Collection, per pkt., 1/ & 2/6.

BARR'S Popular 21/- "WOODEAND " Collection of DAFFODILS.

Consisting of good showy distinct varieties selected from the Three Groups, and suitable for naturalization in woodlands, meadows, orchards and shrubberies, or on grassy slopes, and by the sides of rivulets and streams, etc.

20 Abscissus	20 Telamonius plenus 20 Odorus Rugulosus
20 Johnstoni Queen of Spain	20 Incomparabilis Leedsli 20 Burbidgei Vanessa
20 Obvallaris	20 , Cynosure 20 Poeticus ornatus
20 Rugilobus	20 , Double, 'Butter and 20 , of gardens
20 Thomas Moore	Eggs" 20 Double Gardenia-
20 Princeps	20 Barrii General Murray flowered
20 Moschatus	20 Leedsii Duchess of Brabant 20 Biflorus
20 Pallidus præcox	

BARR'S "WOODLAND" Collections of DAFFODILS.

1000	in	10	separate	distine	t showy	varieties	 	55/;	in	20	varicties	 	65/
500		10			11		 	30/;		20	,,	 	35/
100	,,	10	11	.,	,,	,, -	 	7/6:		20		 	10/6

BARR'S CHEAP DECORATIVE DAFFODILS FOR CUTTING.

Suitable sorts to name supplied at 63/, 84/, and 105/ per 1000

BARR'S CHEAP MIXTURES OF DAFFODILS.

For Naturalizing in Woodlands, Shrubberies, Orchards, on Grassy Slopes, etc., and for cutting.

CHOICE	MIXED	DAFFODILS	0F	MANY	SORTS	for	naturalization,		
FINE	,,	,,	"	,	;		,,	per 100	0, 21/

THE PEERLESS DAFFODILS, or CHALICE-CUPPED STAR NARCISSI, MIXED COLOURS (Incomparabilis, Barrii, and Leedsii varieties) for naturalization in grass, &c. The grand effect of these light graceful Daffodils must be seen to be realized as naturalized plants. Their value as cut flowers for bouquets and vases cannot be over-estimated. Mr. William Rollinson has made a great feature of these at Gravetye Manor, East Grinstead, per 1000, 30/; per 100, 3/6.

TRUMPET DAFFODILS, MIXED, including Princeps, Abscissus, Spurius, Rugilobus, Lent Lily, Telamonius plenus, ctc., for naturalization, per 1000, 42/; per 100, 5/.

POET'S DAFFODILS, or STAR NARCISSI, IN MIXTURE, including early-flowering Poeticus and varieties of Burbidgei, for naturalization in grass, etc. For cutting the flowers are greatly prized. Of these Poet's Narcissi Mr. William Robinson writes, referring to Gravetye: "Five years ago I cleared a little valley of various fences. Through this runs a streamlet, and we grouped the Poet's Narcissus near it, and in a little orchard that lay near, and through a grove of oaks. This year the whole landscape was a picture, such as one might see in an Alpine valley!" per 1000, 42/; per 100, 5/.

BARR'S "ROCK-GARDEN" COLLECTIONS OF MINIATURE DAFFODILS.

Charming little subjects for rockwork, where their dainty flowers are seen to perfection. They should be left undisturbed for years, and, if happy, will soon establish themselves and afford a charming picture in early spring. All the Corbularias (except Corbularia monophylla) like moisture, and should thus be planted at the foot of the rockery. Cyclamineus also likes moisture and partial shade. Corbularia monophylla flourishes in a warm dry sheltered situation, and should therefore be given a hot sunny nook; it delights in almost pure sand. See remarks on page 5 as to carpeting the ground with Thymus, etc.

Large Sulphur Hoop Petticoat See page 9 + C	yclamineus	Nanus Sec page 12
White Hoop Petticoat (C. monophylla) ,, ,, 9	majorSee page 10	Moschatus ,. ,, 15
Large Early Yellow Hoop Petticoat ,, ,, 9 Lo	obularis ,, ,, 13	Macleaii ,, ,, 21
Large Yellow Hoop Petticoat ,, ,, 9 M	linimus, ,, ,, 12	Triandrus albus
Small Yellow ,, ,, ,, ,, 9 M	linor ,, ,, 12	(Angel's lears) ,, ,, 21
		Juncifolius ,, ,, 22

20 Bulbs each of 12 Miniature Daffodils, 25'; 12 of each, 18'; 6 of each, 10/; 3 of each, 5/6.

DAFFODIL NOTICES.

- Our Nurseries, Long Ditton.—Visitors invited during Spring to see our magnificent Collection of Daffodils in bloom. The Nurseries are easily reached by the London and South-Western Railway to Surbiton Station, and from thence 1/- cab fare to the "Pound Farm" entrance to our Nursery.
- Cut Daffodil Flowers.—When in bloom out-of-doors, cut specimens of Daffodils, correctly named, we forward post-paid at a moderate charge, to cover attendant expenses, thus offering a good opportunity to those who wish to extend their knowledge of these lovely flowers of spring. If a list of the varieties pessessed by the sender is enclosed, such sorts will be omitted. A remittance should accompany the order.

1 flower each of 12 sorts, 2/6; 1 each of 25 sorts, 4/6; 1 each of 50 sorts, 7/6. 3 flowers ,, 12 ,, 5/; 3 ,, 25 ,, 8/6; 3 ,, 50 ,, 15/.

Cut Daffodil flowers (without names) in variety, for decoration, 4/6, 5/6, 7/6 & 10/6 per 100.

Naming Daffodils.—Cut specimens of Daffodils we undertake to name correctly, at the charge of 6d, each, 2s, 6d, per dozen, 15s. per 100, to cover attendant expenses. Address all cut specimens to be named, accompanied by a remittance, to our Nurseries, Long Ditton, Surrey.

Illustrations, for list of these, see page 24.

BEAUTIFUL NEW DAFFODILS FOR 1897.

			-
	each- a dainty little flower resembling a highly refined miniature Emperor, and not exceeding six height, a free strong grower		
APRICOT,	a very beautiful and striking novelty, presenting quite a new shade in Trumpet Daffodils. ianth is white, while the long straight trumpet is of a soft aprieot-buff shade and exhales a il fragrance resembling that of violets		v
CORRIE 1 off white	PLEMP, a chaste and beautiful flower, perianth white, trumpet delicate primrose, passing	21	0
an imme	ORE, a grand large Trumpet Daffodil of great substance, large broad primrose perianth, with mse stiff deep golden trumpet, wide and elegantly frilled at mouth, a strong sturdy grower. f. Merit R.H.S. April 27th, 1897	21	0
GOLDEN N	UGGET , a handsome Daffodil, with a very rich deep golden-yellow trumpet, exquisitely the mouth, and with the substance of <i>Emperor</i> , a strong sturdy grower	30	0
GOLDEN Q	UEEN, large bold flower of a uniform soft elear yellow, trumpet much expanded at mouth fly flanged, a grand Daffodil of remarkably elegant form	30	0
GRACE Da	ARLING, perianth white, gracefully twisted and overlapping the elegant trumpet, which is primrose, passing to white, very beautiful, a free and strong grower	21	0
JOHN DAV	VIDSON (BICOLOR), a beautifully formed flower, with large creamy white perianth, and ar yellow trumpet, with mouth well open and gracefully frilled, a strong grower	5	6
LADY SOM perianth,	IERSET, a fine tall white Trumpet Daffodil, with straight trumpet and gracefully twisting a good grower	10	6
LORD ABI	ERDEEN, broad handsome primrose perianth of good substance, bold, bright golden- umpet, a free and strong grower	5	2
PRINCE G	EORGE, perianth soft primrose, long soft yellow trumpet, a highly refined flower, and turdy grower	12	6
PROSERP bold dee	PINE, perianth white, shading to a golden yellow at base, and gracefully twisting. large p golden trumpet with open spreading mouth, very showy and free floweringper doz. 218.	2	0
REMARQU beautiful	UABLE, stiff golden-primrosc perianth, trumpet rich deep golden, with open mouth lly flanged and frilled, a very sturdy grower	.3	6
follows: of all D strong st	EARE, a grand Trumpet Daffodil, which is described by a well known lover of Daffodils as —"A magnificent striking flower of great substance, and almost the boldest and most erect Daffodils; perianth sulphur-yellow and very broad, triimpet very large deep golden"; a turdy grower. We offer this variety as being superior to Samson, which we are omitting to Catalogue		0
STARFISH	H, a good novelty, very long pointed narrow yellow perianth and short yellow trumpet, mouth, the flower reminding one of a giant Starbsh		
bighly a 27th, 18 flowers quality ; and frill	(BICOLOR), a grand new Trumpet Daffodil, exhibited by us for the first time. 1867, and ppreciated by all. The Daffodil Committee of the R.H.S., gave it an Award of Meret, April 97, and the Royal Botanic Society awarded it a Certificate of Merit, March 30th, 1897. The are large, bold and creet, with creamy white perianth of remarkable breadth and good the trumpet is a clear rich yellow, large, broad and of great substance, beautifully flanged led at mouth. It is a very free strong grower		Ġ
	bulb each of the above 16 Fine New Daffodils		
MIXED UNI	NAMED SEEDLINGS, mostly fine Trumpet forms. Purchasers are sure to be pleased		

with these. Strong flowering bulbs, per doz. 7/6 o 8

GENERAL LIST of BARR'S DAFFODILS.

EXPLANATORY NOTES.

The following list of Daffodils embraces the highest class, and most distinct varieties, surpassing in beauty and diversity all other assortments offered to the public. They represent the cream of our Collection (about 500 kinds), and many are new sorts, which have been offered for the first time 1887, 1888, 1889, 1890, 1891, 1892, 1893, 1894, 1895, 1896, and 1897. Within the last few years we have discarded many kinds which we considered had been superseded by better sorts, so that all the varieties offered by us are good and distinct.

The Illustrations we give are mostly from Photographs, on a greatly reduced scale, taken at our Nurseries, and are intended principally to give a general idea of the form of the flower.

DAFFODILS. — GROUP I. — MAGNI-CORONATI (BAKER),

AJAX of Salisbury, Haworth, and Herbert, PSEUDO-NARCISSUS of Parkinson,

THE LARGE-CROWNED OR TRUMPET DAFFODILS, INCLUDING ALSO THE HOOP-PETTICOAT OR MEDUSA'S TRUMPET DAFFODILS (CORBULARIA OR BULBOCODIUM).

DISTINGUISHING CHARACTER .-- Crown or Trumpet as long or rather longer than the divisions of the perianth.

THE ORDER OF TIME OF FLOWERING.

The Daffodils in this group flower generally in the following succession:—(1) White Hoop Petticoat; (2) Minimus, Cyclamineus, Minor, Nanus, Large Early Yellow Hoop Petticoat, Sulphur Hoop Petticoat, Pallidus praecox, Obvallaris, Henry Irving, Golden Spur, Santa Maria, Lobularis, Telamonius plenus; (3) Princeps, Queen of Spain, Mrs. Elwes, Saragossa Daffodil, Spurius, Horsfieldi, Scoticus, Scoticus plenus; Golden Plover, Sir W. Harcourt, Marchioness of Lorne, Cernuus, Colleen Bawn, Capax plenus; (4) Maximus, Rugilobus, Emperor, Golden Prince, Her Majesty, M. J. Berkeley, Stanfield, Bicolors Empress and Portia, Cernuus pulcher, Duchess of Connaught, Exquisite, F. W. Burbidge, Galatea, Lady Grosvenor, Mrs. Thompson, Sarah Tisdale, W. P. Milner, William Goldring, Tortucosus; (5) Edith Barber, Glory of Leiden, P. R. Barr, John Nclson, Bicolors Ada Brooke, Dean Herbert, George H. Barr, J. B. M. Camm, Michael Foster and T. A. Dorrien Smith, C. W. Cowan, Madame de Graaff, Matson Vincent, Mrs. J. B. M. Camm, Princess Ida Weardale Perfection: (6) Bicolors Picolor grandis, Abscissus. Ida, Weardale Perfection; (6) Bicolor, Bicolor grandis, Abscissus.

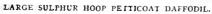
The varieties marked thus thrive best under the shade of deciduous trees, naturalized in grass in shady nooks, or on grassy slopes facing north.

CORBULARIA (BULBOCODIUM). NARCISSUS

The Hoop Petticoat, or Medusa's Trumpet Daffodils.

For rockwork, edgings and small bcds, these beautiful little Daffodils are most charming, while if several bulbs are planted in pots or pans, they are greatly prized for indoor decoration. See Cultural Notes, pn. 5 & 7. per doz. each s. d. s. d. WHITE HOOP PETTICOAT (C. monophylla or Clusii), winter-flowering, snowy white flowers of exquisite beauty produced in winter, grow in pots, in frames, or at the foot of hot dry walls per 100, 10/6 extra strong bulbs..... 15/ 2 0...0 3 LARGE EARLY-FLOWERING YELLOW HOOP PETTICOAT, found in Spain by Mr. P. Barr, very beautiful, flowering out-doors from Februaryper 100, 16/6 2 3...0 3 LARGE YELLOW HOOP PETTICOAT (C. conspicua), rich golden-yellow, per 100,25; 3 6...0 4 SMALL EARLY-FLOWERING YELLOW HOOP PETTICOAT, rich yellow, early, and very neatper 100, 21/ 3 0...0 4





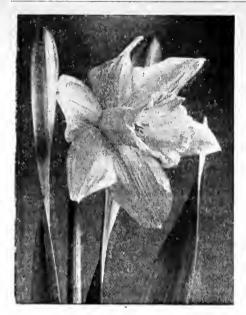


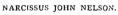
NARCISSUS HENRY IRVING.

TRUMPET DAFFODILS.

Self-Yellow Varieties.	per	doz, es	ach
*ABSCISSUS, perianth sulphur yellow, long rich yellow trumpet, the latest flowering of all Trumpet Daffodils, and valuable to naturalize in quantity in woodlands, &c. per 1000, 45/; per 100, 5/	l		
*ACHILLES, perianth light yellow, trumpet rich deep yellow, carly and showy, per 100, 7/6			
ALIDA, New 1896. long, hold, bright yellow trumpet, perianth soft canary-yellow and rather twisting, very handsome, late-flowering and a strong grower, extra fine			
ALVAREZ, See New Daffodils, page 8.	•••	,	•
*ARD RIGH—Yellow King—this Daffodil has such a poor constitution that we cannot recommend it; Golden Spur and Henry Irving are finer and much stronger growers.			
CAPTAIN NELSON, soft clear yellow, large trumpet, spreading perianth, large handsome flower, extra fine. 1st Class Certificate R.H.S.		7	6
*COUNTESS OF ANNESLEY, perianth sulphur-yellow, rich full yellow trumpet, large bold flower, early	3		
CORONATUS, true, large light yellow perianth, broad expanded full yellow trumpet, a grand flower. 1st Class Certificate R.H.S.	,		
*COUNTESS OF DESMOND, perianth soft primrose, trumpet delicate soft vellow early and			
very pretty	24	02	3
CYCLAMINEUS MAJOR, a charmingly elegant little Daffodil of remarkably distinct form, flowers clear rich self-yellow, perianth gracefully reflexed, and trumpet elegantly serrated, early and dwarf, most valuable for pot-culture, edgings, rockwork, and to naturalize in grass and shady nooks. 1st Class Certificate R.H.S. (See Notes on Culture, page 5)		6 o	3
*DICK SARTORIS, of very handsome form, trumpet rich orange-yellow, perianth sulphur, flushed orange		3	6
EDWARD LEEDS, a large handsome rich full yellow variety	3	6o	2
A CLUMP OF N. CYCLAMINEUS MAJOR. EDITH BARBER, perianth full primrose, trumpet yellow. dwarf, and valuable for edgingsper 100, 21/	3	oo	4
ELIZA TURCK, a very dwarf and beautiful Daffodil of refined beauty, flower a uniform delicate soft yellow		2 t	O
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Barr's Collections of Cheap Decorative Daffodils, see page 7.







NARCISSUS JOHNSTONI QUEEN OF SPAIN.
(Very much reduced.)

EMPEROR, perianth deep primrose, trumpet rich full yellow, very large flower, extra fine	ั ฮ.	doz, ea	d.
FRED MOORE, See New Dassodils, fage 8.	4	60	5 ;
GLORY OF LEIDEN, very large handsome yellow trumpet and perianth. Figured Gardeners Chronicle, April 18, 1896. 1st Class Cert. R.H.S. One of the boldest of the Giant Trumpets extra fine	,	,12	6
*GOBLIN, perianth yellow, bold handsome rich golden-yellow trumpetper 100, 15 GOLDEN NUGGET, See New Dafforills, page 8.	/ 2	30	3
GOLDEN PRINCE, uniform rich golden-yellow, trumpet elegantly lobed and serrated at brim very handsome	. 25	02	6'
GOLDEN QUEEN, See New Daffodils, fage 8.			
GOLDEN SPUR, perianth large and spreading, trumpet large and distinctly lobed, deep riel self-yellow, very early, extra fine	3	00	4
HENRY IRVING, broad spreading yeilow perianth, large yellow trumpet, very handsom (See Illustration, page 10)	3	6o	4
rather dwarf	. 10	61	Ö,
*HUDIBRAS, very distinct, perianth yellow, imbricated, longer than trumpet, which is deep yellow			
*J. G. BAKER, uniform rich primrose trumpet, distinct and somewhat dwarf		10	\mathcal{O}_{1}
JOHN NELSON, a very distinct large rounded drooping flower, almost uniform yellow rather dwarf. (See the above Illustration)	, 21	02	O
*JOHNSTONI (Type), a distinct beautiful variety, perianth and trumpet clear rich soft sulphu eolour. (All the Johnstoni Daffodils are natural hybrids of N. Ajax and N. triandrus, A buttonhole flowers they are most charming)	١.	2	ΰ
*JOHNSTONI QUEEN OF SPAIN, found by Mr. Peter Barr in Spain. One of the most beautiful, distinct and graceful Daffodils in cultivation, and for bedding unsurpassed. The flowers, which rise just above the foliage, are of a uniform soft delicate clear yellow with perianth elegantly reflexing: slightly variable in size, while in some the mouth of the trumper is spreading, in others straight. Awarded Floral Certificate at the Daffodil Conference 1896. Visitors to the Royal Botanie Gardens, Regent's Park, during the Spring of 1896 and 1897, have been charmed with the effect produced by large masses of this beautiful Daffodil naturalized in grass beneath the trees. (See the above Hustration). 1st size bulbs per 100, 17/4 2nd size bulbs, for large plantings to naturalize, per 100, 14/4	e t t	60	. 3
*JOHNSTONI MRS. GEORGE CAMMELL, a beautiful soft clear self-yellow Daffodil, o clegant and fascinating form. Found by Mr. P. Barr in Spain, extra. We have no bulbs to offer of this variety this year, but hope to have a few 1898.	f >		
*JOHNSTONI PELAYO, variable in size and shade of colour, from clear soft yellow to sulphur Found by Mr. P. Barr in Spain A few bulbs only	; 	2	6

YELLOW TRUMPET DAFFODILS—continued.		doz. es	
*KING UMBERTO, a handsome flower, perianth light yellow, with deeper yellow bar down the centre, large yellow trumpet	5	60	6
LADY DOROTHY, primrose perianth, light yellow trumpet, dwarf grower, distinct and pretty		3	6
LORD ABERDEEN, See New Daffodils, page 8.			
MAJOR, rich deep yellowper 100, 6/6	1	0 ~	•••
MAXIMUS, true, uniform rich deep golden-yellow, perianth eleganthy twisted, flower large and graceful. One of the most handsome and deepest Yellow Trumpet Daffodils; it delights in a stiff moist soil	2	90	+ 3
MINIMUS, true, the smallest and dwarfest Trumpet Daffodil, rich full yellow, a dainty little gem for edgings, nooks on rockwork, and pot-culture, very early (see remarks on Adaptation, page 5) per 100, 15/		o o	3
MINOR, true, full yellow, divisions of perianth gracefully twisted, trumpet distinctly lobed, valuable for edgings and rockwork, early	5	60	6
M. J. BERKELEY, perianth and trumpet rich full yellow, trumpet much expanded, and reflexed at brim, flower resembling N. maximus, but larger and of paler colour, extra fine		02	6
MONARCH, new 1895, a noble flower, perianth and trumpet rich full yellow and very large, of perfect form and fine substance, growth strong and sturdyeach £ 15 155.			
MRS. H. J. ELWES, perianth soft clear yellow, trumpet soft yellow, large and spreading			
NANUS, rich full yellow, very dwarf and early, a gem for edgings; in March, "its small flowers thickly bespangle the ground like golden stars"per 1000, 45/; p 100, 5/6	0	10	
OBVALIARIS (Tenby Daffodil), this very distinct variety has all the fine qualities that delight a connoisseur, perianth and trumpet full yellow, very early	1	6	
OPHIR, rich golden-yellow, with narrow twisting perianth, dwarf and lateper 100, 30/	4	60	5
P. R. BARR, perianth primrose, trumpet rich full yellow of fine quality and form, and very handsome, a sturdy grower and free bloomer, extra fineper 100, 35/	5	00	6
PRINCE GEORGE, See New Daffatils, page 8.			
REMARQUABLE, See New Daffodils, page 8.			
RUGILOBUS, large primrose perianth, large yellow trumpet, a fine variety in the way of Emperor	I	o	
SANTA MARIA, found by Mr. P. Barr in Spain, very rich deep orange-yellow, perianth elegantly twisted, a distinct, handsome, and charming early flower, extra	10	61	0
*SARAGOSSA DAFFODIL, varying from pale to full yellow, showyper 100, 10/6	I	60	2
SHAKESPEARE, See New Daffodils, page 8.			,
SHARMAN CRAWFORD, perianth sulphur, trumpet yellow		02	0
*SHIRLEY HIBBERD, a handsome flower with deep yellow much expanded trumpet, and lighter yellow perianth slightly twisted	2	30	
*SPURIUS, self-yellow, with a broad, imbricated hooded perianth, and a large expanded trumpet, very distinct	1	30	2
SIR WILLIAM HARCOURT, uniform rich yellow, a very distinct and remarkable flower	•••	5	6
STARFIELD, large spreading handsome perianth and fine straight short yellow trumpet STARFISH, See New Daffodils, page 8.	21	0 2	0
TENBY DAFFODIL. See Obvallaris.			
THOMAS MOORE, light yellow perianth, full yellow trumpet, somewhat resembling Major, but freer-flowering, early and valuable for cuttingper 100, 10/6	1	60	2
VISCOUNTESS, new 1896, a pretty bright primrose-yellow flower resembling Countess of Desmond but taller, fragrant, and of robust constitution		3	6
TRUMPET DAFFODILS.			
White Winged Bicolor Varieties.			
BICOLOR (of Haworth), perianth white, trumpet yellow, lateper 100, 30/	4	60	5
ADA BROOKE, perianth white, trumpet rich orange-yellow, flowers after Empress and before Grandis, strong grower		60	
ANTONIO, a giant form of Princeps, with a large thick open trumpet			
*GABECEIRAS, large rich yellow trumpet, frilled at brim, perianth white, shading off to primrose, very striking	7	60	8
CAMBRICUS, whitish perianth, yellow trumpet, very earlyper 100, 6/6	1	o	
*CAMOENS, perianth ereamy white, trumpet yellowper 100, 10/6	I	6o	2
Con Domin (January) Pully Cartalana C. 11			

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DEAN HERBERT, true, perianth full primrose changing to sulphur, trumpet rich yellow, very large	5	60	6
EMPRESS, perianth white and of great substance, trumpet rich yellow; large flower, extra fine per 100, 25/		60	4
*ENGLISH LENT LILLY, perianth whitish, trumpet yellow, valuable for naturalizing in grass, woodlands, etcper 1000, 18/6; per 100, 2/	o	4	
GEORGE H. BARR, a fine variety with white perianth, and yellow trumpet, sturdy flower of medium size, somewhat dwarf			
GRANDIS (Grandee), large and finely imbricated pure white perianth, trumpet very large, full yellow, late-flowering; a grand flower, and most valuable for succession, extra fine. (See Illustration on back cover)per 100, 25/			
HORSEFIELDII, perianth white, trumpet rich yellow, large flower, the earliest of the Bicolors. (See Illustration)	2	30	3
J. B. M. CAMM, perianth white, trumpet soft pale chrome-yellow; this may be called "Queen of the Trumpets," for its symmetry of form and chaste colour; a strong grower, extra fine. 1st Class Certificate R.H.S.			
JOHN DAVIDSON, See New Daffodils, page 8.			
JOHN PARKINSON, large fine white spreading periantli, short rich yellow trumpet, a remarkable flower	•••	το	6
LENA, perianth primrose, long well-formed lemon trumpet		15	0
LENT LILY. See English Lent Lily.			
LOBULARIS, perianth sulphur-white, trumpet yellow, dwarf and valuable for edgings per 1000, 30/; per 100, 3/6	. 0	6	



NARCISSUS BICOLOR HORSEFIELUII.

MADAME PLEMP, a bold erect flower with large solid white periantli, and very long golden- yellow trumpet, of great substance, a strong grower, awarded Floral Certificate at Dagodil Conference, 1896	2r	0
MICHAEL FOSTER, large sulphur-white perianth, large thick rich yellow trumpet, very distinct and inclined to be dwarfper 100, 30/		
MRS. WALTER WARE, one of our best bicolors and a very free bloomer, broad snowy white perianth, trumpet golden, well expanded at brim and exquisitely filled, a strong grower. (See Illustration, page 14)	5	6
PORTIA, perianth soft primrose, trumpet yellow, of good substance, very free bloomer, rather dwarfp. 100, 25/		
PRINCE COLIBRI, New 1896, petals creamy white, broad thick-set rich yellow trumpet, somewhat dwarf, flower of great substance, strong sturdy grower		





NARCISSUS BICOLOR MRS. WALTER WARE.

NARCISSUS MADAME DE GRAAFF.

per doz. each s. d. s. d.

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PRINCEPS, SELECTED STOCK, perianth sulphur white, trumpet yellow, large showy flower, early and forces freely; one of the best Daffodils for naturalizingper 1000, 30/; per 100, 3/6		d. 8	
A few extra large bulbs, per 100, 4/6	0	r.,,	• • •
PRUSERPINE, See New Daffodils, page 8.	U	О	•••
PSEUDO-NARCISSUS. See English Lent Lily.			
*SCOTICUS (SCOTCH GARLAND LILY), perianth white, trumpet yellow, elegantly serrated, a charming dwarf Daffodil, very earlyper 1000, 45/; per 100, 5/	0	Q O	
T. A. DORRIEN-SMITH, short thick rich yellow trumpet, perianth sulphur-white, broad, imbricated and shorter than trumpet			
TUSCAN BONNET, a good distinct form of Princeps, with almost white perianth and pale canary trumpet			
*VARHFORMIS, large white positional large	•	90	
*VARIIFORMIS, large white perianth, large canary-yellow expanded trumpet, brim elegantly lobed, flowers variable, erroneously sold under the names Nobilis, and Maw's Bicolor per 100,7/6	I	30	<u>a</u>
VICTORIA, See New Daffodils, page 8.			
WEARDALE PERFECTION, the largest and grandest of all Daffodils, large pure white perianth, immense bold trumpet, very pale primrose. Awarded 1st Class Certificate by the R.H.S., 1894, and the Premier Prize as being the "Finest Daffodil" at the Birmingham Narcissus Show, 1894, and Floral Certificate at the Daffodil Conference, 1896each £12 125.			
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WHITE AND SULPHUR TRUMPET DAFFODILS-	8. tl. : S. · '4.
CERNUUS PULCHER, perianth silvery white, passing to white; a beautiful flower of exquisite gr	with a large spreading primrose trumpet, and a race, a good grower, extra fine
*COLLEEN BAWN, perianth and trumpet pure what a weak grower, extra fine	nite, broad and gracefully twisted perianth,
	distinct and elegant, a strong grower 24 02 3
*DR. HOGG, perianth white, trumpet primrose pas	ssing to white, long and smooth, brim
DUCHESS OF CONNAUGHT, perianth and trum beautiful flower, with dwarf near habit, charming fo	pet primrose passing off white, a dainty and
*EXQUISITE, perianth sulphur-white, trumpet prim	prose passing to white, very distinct 18 o1 9
F. W. BURBIDGE, perianth white, trumpet sulp elegantly serrated, a strong grower	phur passing to white, long-ribbed, and 7 60 8
GALATEA, large flower of a uniform white, of good extra fine	d substance and fine habit, strong grower
GRACE DARLING, Sec New Daffodils, page 8.	
LADY GROSVENOR, perianth white, trumpet sul	phur-white, brim elegantly recurved, very
LADY SOMERSET, See New Daffodils, page 8.	
LEDA, same as Tortuosus	7, 01.018
MADAME DE GRAAFF, this is one of the largest of delicate beauty, perianth pure white, trumpet patution. 1st Class Certificate R.H.S., and Floral	of White Trumpet Daffodils, and is a flower le primrose passing off white, strong consti-
	-white, trumpet primrose, brim elegantly per 150, 50/ 7 00 8
MATSON VINCENT, quite distinct, small neat pure	
dwarf, a good grower	
Control of the Contro	*MRS. F. W. BURBIDGE, perianth white, trumpet straight, primrose passing to snow-white
	MRS. J. B. M. CAMM, perianth white and elegant, trumpet sulphurwhite, a lovely flower of great substance lasting well when cut. extra fine. 1st Class Certificate R. B. (See Illustration)
	handsome, early, a strong grower and free bloomer
	a fairly strong grower
NARCISSUS MRS. J. B. M. CAMM.	size and shade, from pale straw-colour to white, very early and beautiful; avoid manure, and grow where possible on moist grassy slopes facing north. A charming Daffodilin pots, good Flowering Bulbsper 1000, 65/; per 100, 7/6 Bulbs of larger size , 9/6 1 00 2
PRINCESS IDA, white perianth, bandsome white	e trumpet, brim flanged and cdged yellow. per 100, 25/ 3 60 4
*RERECCA SYME (The Violet-scented Daffodil) De	rianth white, trumpet citron, as remarkable
for its refined beauty as for its exceptional violet fra *RORERT ROYLE, perianth milks white trumpet	delicate sulphur, passing to white, fragrant,
early and very pretty, of rather slender growth	15 0
SARNIAN RELLE. same as Tortugues	sulphur-yellow, distinct, a strong grower 10 61 c
*SITUED DAD perioral policy and a signed with silvery by	ar down centre, trumpet pale lemon, fragrant





NARCISSUS INCOMPARABILIS FRANK MILES,

NARCISSUS INCOMPARABILIS GWYTHER.

White and Sulphur Trumpets—continued.		doz. ea	
SIR STAFFORD NORTHCOTE, perianth white, long pale sulphur trumpet, robust and distin		6 o	8
SNOWFLAKE, white, trumpet tinged apricot, passing off snowy white, distinct and handsom holding its head well up, a strong grower of robust constitution		7	6
*SNOW KING, large flower of elegant form, perianth and trumpet snowy white, early ar beautiful	21	02	o
*TORTUOSUS (syn. LEDA & SARNIAN BELLE), perianth pure white, twisted, somewh shorter than the trumpet, which is pale sulphur passing to a snow-white, a handsome fragra flower	nt	. 00	8
W. P. MILNER, a charming dwarf variety with dainty sulphur-coloured flowers, disting and beautiful, very free-flowering, and valuable for filling small beds or for edgings, a good constitution per too, 2	ct		
WILLIAM GOLDRING, long snow-white tapering perianth, gracefully drooping over the primrose trumpet. Its graceful form suggests the name of "Swan's Neck Daffodil a Daffodil of good constitution"	er		
	0	o o	9
All the Double Trumpet Daffodils thrive admirably when planted in grass land and alloundisturbed. They are also seen to great advantage when planted in clumps in permanent be pot plants they are very attractive (several bulbs in a pot). *CAPAX PLENUS (syn. EYSTETTENSIS) QUEEN ANN'S DOUBLE DAFFODIA	rders	to rema , while	ain as
beautiful soft pale lemon-coloured flowers, consisting of 6 rows of petals, symmetrical arranged over each other in the form of a star, extra	. 10	6 ɪ	o
*CERNUUS PLENUS (The Old Double White Trumpet Daffodil), flowers exquisite beauty; now very rare, for successful culture plant in good virgin pasture-loa and grit. avoid manure	of 11	7	6
LOBULARIS PLENUS, large double yellow flowers, delightfully sweet-scented, dwarf		6 0	-
MINOR PLENUS (Rip van Winkle), small double yellow flowers with euriously twisting petals, very rare	or	60	-
*PLENISSIMUS, Parkinson's Rose-flowered Daffodil, the largest and richest yellow of a Double Daffodils, dwarf	17		•
"PRINCESS," BARR'S NEW DWARF DOUBLE DAFFODIL, a beautiful and distinct Double Daffodil with pale yellow flowers, charmingly symmetrical in form, somewhat dwarf.	r	60	
*PSEUDO-NARCISSUS PLENUS (GERRARD'S DOUBLE LENT LILY), a charmin small white and yellow Double Daffodil yery rare. This pretty little Daffodil should be	g		•
naturalized in grass per 100, 40	1/ 5	60	6
*SCOTICUS PLENUS (Double Scotch Garland Lily), a very charming and showy Doub Daffodil, with white and golden petals interspersed	- 4	6o	5
TELAMONIUS PLENUS (Wilmer's great double golden-yellow Daffodil), the large Of Double Yellow Trumpet Daffodil, valuable for grouping in beds and borders, also for forcing last size per 1000, 60/; per 100, 6	d g 6 1		
2nd size per 1000, 42/; per 100, 4	6 o	9	
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DAFFODILS.—GROUP II.—MEDIO-CORONATI (OF BAKER).

The Chalice-cupped Daffodils or Star Narcissi.

QUELTIA, PHILOGYNE, GANYMEDES, ETC., OF SALISBURY, HAWORTH, AND HERBERT; PEERLESS NONSUCH, ETC., OF PARKINSON.

DISTINGUISHING CHARACTER.—Crown or cup half as long as the divisions of the perianth, but in one or two cases three-quarters as long.

The graceful varieties of this group are hybrids, excepting Triandrus and Juncifolius, which are species. Incomparabilis and Barrii are the result of garden crosses between yellow Trumpet Daffodils and Narcissus Poeticus; Lecasii, a garden cross between White Trumpet Daffodils and Poeticus; Backhousei, Nelsoni and Macleaii, the result of a Trumpet Bicolor var. crossed with Poeticus; Bernardi, a natural cross between Abscissus (trumpet) Daffodil and Poeticus; Tridymus is a garden hybrid between a Trumpet Daffodil and a Tazetta or Polyanthus Narcissus; Odorus, a natural hybrid between a Trumpet Daffodil and Narcissus Jonquilla; Biflorus is the result of a natural cross between Narcissus Tazetta and Poeticus.

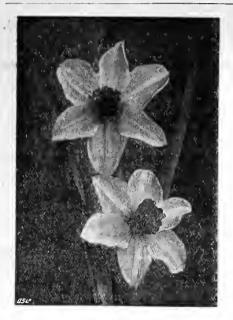
The varieties in this group commence flowering in March, and furnish a succession till May. They are all of elegant beauty, and as cut flowers, are extensively used for furnishing vases and table bouquets. For this purpose they should be grown in quantity in boxes and forced for early bloom (see page 5).

The varieties marked thus are not suitable for all cultivated borders, but thrive best under the shade of deciduous trees, naturalized in grass in shady nooks, or on grassy slopes facing north or north-west.

NARCISSUS INCOMPARABILIS.

The Chalice-Cupped Daffodils or Star Narcissi. All the varieties of Incomparabilis are exceedingly decorative in pots, while the cut flowers are of great

value in decoration. For beds and borders they are very showy, and naturalized in grass few flowers are so graceful and effective. per doz. each s. d. s. d. AUTOCRAT, large broad perianth full yellow, cup yellow, much expanded......per 100, 12/6 2 0...0 3 BEAUTY, large sulphur-yellow perianth, barred yellow, cup large, margined orange-scarlet, bold handsome flower, tall. Certificate of Merit, Royal Botanic Society, 1897.per 100, 60/ 8 0...0 9 BERTIE, a good bold showy flower, perianth creamy white and broad, cup yellow edged orange, per 100, 10/6 1 6...0 2 C. J. BACKHOUSE, a most attractive yellow Incomparabilis, perianth yellow, of medium size, with a long cup of a rich orange-scarlet, extra fine. 1st Class Certificate R.H.S...... 12 0...1 3 COMMANDER, pale sulphur perianth, large yellow cup stained orange-red, fine bold flower and tall strong grower, catra fine. Awarded a Floral Certificate at the Daffodil Conference, 1896 10 (YXOSURE, large primrose perianth changing to white, cup stained orange-scarlet, remarkably per 1000, 35/; per 100, 4/ o 8... ... EDWARD HART, perianth and cup deep yellow, of very distinct formper 100, 21/ 3 0...0 4 FIGARO, perianth yellow, cup large spreading and stained orange-redper 100, 6/6 1 0... ... FRANK MILES, large flower, soft clear yellow, with gracefully twisted perianth, exceedingly effective in masses and excellent for cutting. (See Illustration, page 16)......per 100, 15/ 2 0...0 3 GEORGE NICHOLSON, perianth pure white, cup clear yellow, of finc form and great3 6 substance, late, extra fine GLORIA MUNDI, a glorious flower with fine bold clear rich yellow perianth, large cup much expanded and very heavily stained orange-scarlet, handsome and striking, extra fine. 1st ... 25 0 Class Certificate R.H.S., strong grower GOLIATH, large white perianth barred yellow, large yellow cup, handsome 0 5...0 7 GWYTHER, large broad yellow perianth, large cup suffused orange, beautiful. (See Illustration. page 16)per 100, 21/ 3 0...0 4 HOGARTH, full yellow gauffered cup very large and expanded, perianth twisted, a quaint 6...0 8 JAMES BATEMAN, pure white broad perianth, clear yellow cup, a chaste flower of good substance and finest form, late-flowering, extra fine 21 0...2 0 KING OF THE NETHERLANDS, perianth sulphur, cup very large, spreading and stained 6...0 5 orange, distinct and handsomeper 100, 30/ LEEDSH, perianth yellow, cup stained rich orange-scarlet, early, figured in Gardeners' Magazine of Botanyper 100, 6/6 1 0...... LORENZO, perianth soft primrose, changing to white, cup yellow, a distinct beautiful variety I 3... ...





NARCISSUS INCOMPARABILIS MABEL COWAN. NARCISSUS BARRII CONSPICUUS.				
		doz. e		
LULWORTII, pure white perianth, cup bright orange-red. Some seasons the cup comes split, but when perfect it is a charming and beautiful flower				
MABEL COWAN, perianth white, cup broadly margined orange-scarlet, a fine flower of good substance, extra. Awarded a Floral Certificate at the Daffodil Conference, 1896. (See				
Illustration above)	21	0,2	2 0	
MAGOG, perianth sulphur, large yellow cup, fine flowerper 1000, 45/; per 100, 5/		9	• • •	
*MARY ANDERSON, perianth pure white, cup bright orange-scarlet, weak constitution (Barrii conspicuus or Sensation recommended in preference)	10	6r	. 0	
POITEAU, perianth white, cup yellow, of a stiff firm habitper 100, 40/	5	6c	6	
PRINCE OF WALES, perianth sulphur, cup stained orange-scarlet			6	
PRINCE TECK, broad finely-formed imbricated creamy white perianth, cup yellow, large and expanded per 100, 24/	3	6c) 4	
PRINCESS MARY, broad and well imbricated creamy-white perianth, large and much expanded cup suffused orange, perfectly smooth, a flower of beautiful form, extra fine. 1st Class Certificate R.H.S.		61	. 0	
QUEEN BESS, pure white perianth, with large light yellow much expanded cup, very beautiful, and earliest of this section, extra fineper 100, 15/				
QUEEN SOPHIA, perianth sulphur, large, spreading, frilled cup, heavily stained orange-scarlet, of great beauty, extra fine. 1st Class Certificate R.H.S.; it delights in a good stiff fibrous				
loamy soil.				
SEMI-PARTITUS, perianth pale primrosc, cup sulphur, decply lobed, a very distinct variety	12	o I	3	
SIR WATKIN, perianth rich sulphur, cup yellow, slightly tinged with orange; the Giant of Chalice-cupped Daffodils, cxtra fine; the bold handsome flowers last long in water when cut, and it is a strong sturdy grower		6 0		
SPLEXIBLES In the best of the	ن	00	4	
SPLENDENS, large broad imbricated sulphur perianth, large cup cdged orange-scarlet, very handsome	5	60	6	
STELLA, large white perianth, with yellow cup, a bold showy flowerper 1000, 25/; per 100, 3/	0	6		
TITAN. perianth yellow, cup margined orange, flower large and well formedper 100, 10/6				

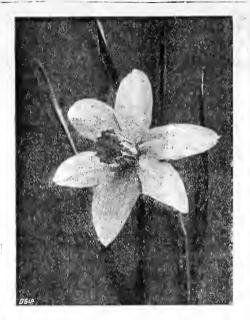
NARCISSUS INCOMPARABILIS.

Double Varieties.

The Double-flowered Nonsuch and Peerless Daffodils.

The large massive flowers are greatly prized for bouquets and vases, mixing well with other flowers and foliage in decoration. As pot plants (3 to 6 bulbs in a pot) they are very charming, while in beds, borders, or naturalized, they make a most effective display.

AURANTIUS PLENUS (Butter and Eggs), Selected Stock, the double light vellow Nonsuch Profindil, with orange nectary, very effective in clumps and masses, per 1000, 40/; per 100, 4/6 o 8... ...





NARCISSUS LEEDSH DUCHESS OF WESTMINSTER. (See page 20.)

NARCISSUS LEEDSH MRS. LANGTRY. (See page 20.) per doz.each s. d. s. d.

ALBUS PLENUS AURANTIUS (Eggs and Bacon, or Orange Phoenix), White Peerless ALBUS PLENUS SULPHUREUS (Codlins and Cream, Sulphur Phoenix), White Peerles Double Daffodil, with sulphur nectary, a very chaste flower, much prized for bouquets,

NARCISSUS BARRII.

Star Narcissi with Shortened Chalice Cup.

The beauty of these varieties renders them of great value for indoor decoration, 3 or 5 bulbs in a 5-inch

pot, while for beds, borders, and naturalization they are very highly prized. CONSPICUUS, a flower of great beauty and refinement, and a favourite with all, large broad spreading yellow perianth, broad short cup, conspicuously edged bright orange-scarlet, extra fine, 1st Class Certificate R.H.S. We can highly recommend this variety to every one as it is certainly the Queen of Daffodils, and lasts longer in water when cut than almost any other variety; it is a robust strong grower and a very free bloomer. (See Illustration, page 18). cr and a very free bloomer. (See Illustration, page 18). Extra strong selected bulbs, p. 1000, 180/; per 100, 21/ good flowering bulbs, per 1000, 150/; per 100, 17/6 ('ROWN PRINCE, perianth white, cup large and heavily stained searlet, very large handsome ROTHY E. WEMYSS, large white perianth, with canary-yellow cup, conspicuously edged orange-scarlet, very beautiful, extra fine. Awarded a Floral Certificate at the Daffodil FLORA WILSON, pure white perianth, cup canary edged orange-scarlet, a very striking flower, extra fine per 100, 80/ 10 6...1 0 GENERAL MURRAY, creamy white perianth, canary cup, elegantly shot with bright orange, distinct, beautiful and free-floweringper 1000, 60/; per 1000, 7/ GOLDEN GEM, perianth rich yellow, cup edged orange, late-flowering. It is very freeblooming, and being late is valuable for succession, flowers small but very bright-coloured per 1000, 60/; per 100, 7/ I O GOLDEN MARY, bright golden-yellow, very showy, late-flowering, per 1000, 35/; per 100, 4/ 0 8 MAURICE VILMORIN, broad creamy white perianth, cup lemon, heavily stained orangescarlet, very beautiful, dwarf, extra fine; an exquisite flower for cuttingper 100, 37/6 5 0...0 6 MIRIAM BARTON, perianth and cup soft delicate primrose, a beautiful delicate shade r 6...o 2 SENSATION, large pure white perianth, cup canary, conspicuously edged with orange-scarlet, SIDDINGTON, new 1896, fine yellow petals, handsome open cup, broadly margined orangered, very beautiful and remarkably free-flowering, generally producing two blooms on a stem 36 o ... 3 6

NARCISSUS LEEDSII.

The Silver Star Narcissi, or the Eucharis-flowered Fragrant White Daffodils.

Dattodis.			
These chaste and beautiful Daffodils are highly prized for indoor decoration, while to cut for a fragrant flowers are greatly in demand. 3 or 5 bulbs in a 5-inch pot. In flower beds and			
naturalized, they are most charming.	per	doz. e d. s.	nch
LEEDSII, silvery white starry flowers, sweet-scentedper 1000, 30/; per 100, 3/6	0	6	
AMABILIS, spreading white perianth, and long silvery white crown, sometimes edged princrose per 1000, 60/; per 100, 7	1 1	o	
BEATRICE, perianth finely formed, with remarkably clegant cup. The flower is of the highest type of brauty and the purest white, extra fine	12	01	3
DUCHESS OF BRABANT, perianth white, cup canary, a useful elegant free-flowering variety per 1000, 25/; per 100, 3/			
DUCHESS OF WESTMINSTER, large white perianth, long soft canary cup, tinged orange on first expanding, the whole flower passing off pure white; distinct and very handsome, extra fine. 1st Class Certificate R.H.S. (See Illustration, page 19)	25	02	5
ELEGANS, large drooping white perianth, somewhat shouldered, long white cup, sometimes stained apricot, very distinct. Figured in Gardeners' Magazine of Botany	10	61	0
FANNY MASON, perianth white, cup bright canary yellow, pretty flowerper 100, 6/6	I	0	•••
GEM, perianth white, a beautifully formed flower, with white cup, of elegant form, extra fine	21	02	0
GRAND DUCHESS, perianth white, cup spreading, and stained apricot-orange, a charming early variety, extra fine; of great value for cutting	10	61	0
*HON. MRS. BARTON, large broad pure white perianth, cup expanded, and passing from primrose to white, a very distinct handsome variety, extra fine	15	01	6
KATHERINE SPURRELL, broad and overlapping white perianth of good substance, eup canary; large flower, very distinct and of highest quality, extra fine	36	03	5
MADGE MATTHEW, large white perianth, elegant white cup, early			
M. MAGDALINE DE GRAAFF, broad white perianth, cup suffused orange; usually two-flowered, very distinct, late-flowering and a free grower, extra fineper 100. 55/		60	
MINNIE HUME, large white perianth, cup large and spreading, passing from a fine lemon colour to white; a very handsome flower, extra fine. 1st Class Certificate R.H.S. per 100, 17/6	2	60	3
MRS. LANGTRY, perianth white and broad, with large white cup, edged bright canary-yellow, beautiful, a remarkably free bloomer, each bulb generally producing several flower stems, with extra fine. 1st Class Certificate R.H.S. (See Illustration, page 19)		óo	4
ODDITY, silvery white, cup full of florets, very distinct		5	6
PALMERSTON, large spreading white perianth, elegant eanary-coloured cup, late-flowering, delightfully fragrantper 100, 21/			
PRINCESS OF WALES, small starry white perianth, large spreading elegantly frilled white cup, a gem	15	01	6
SUPERBUS, perianth white, large, and drooping, long white cup			
NARCISSUS MONTANUS.			
MONTANUS, selected, a selected variety, the cup of which does not split, as is generally the case with Montanus, distinct, elegant drooping flowers, perianth and cup silvery white	7	50	8
NARCISSUS HUMEI.			
Hume's Straight-Crowned Daffodils.			
Flowers of very distinct character; admirably adapted for beds, borders, and naturalizat		_	
HUME'S CONCOLOR, perianth and trumpet uniform yellow, a very remarkable flower	. 7	50	8
HUME'S GIANT, perianth yellow, changing to sulphur, trumpet yellow; flower very large and remarkably characteristic	3	00	-3
NARCISSUS BACKHOUSEI.			
Eackhouse's characteristic Daffodils, with coffee-cup-shaped crown,			
Suitable for pot-culture, beds, borders, and naturalization.			
BACKHOUSEI, bold handsome flower with long yellow cup, nearly equalling the length of the distinct spreading sulphury perianth			
JOSEPH LAKIN, sulphur perianth, yellow cup, very distinct			
WOLLEY DOD, large spreading primrose perianth, and short deep yellow trumpet, very distinct	10	61	o
WILLIAM WILKS, closely imbricated spreading primrose perianth, with striking orange- yellow trumpet, frilled brim	1	90	2
Visitors invited to see Barr's Beautiful English Tulips in Bloom in May.		-	-

NARCISSUS MACLEAII. MACLEAII (Panza bicolor and Diomedes minor), flowers small, white perianth, yellow goblet	в.	doz. es d. s.	d.
shaped cup, robust and dwarf, a charming little characteristic Daffodilper 100, 7/6	I	30	2
NARCISSUS NELSONI.			
Nelson's Daffodils, with goblet-shaped cup. Handsome for indoors, 3 bulbs in a 5-inch pot; beautiful in beds, borders, and for naturalization. The flowers are of great substance with snowy-white petals, and last long in water when cut. NELSONI MAJOR, perianth white, with large bright yellow cup, frequently suffused with	1		
orange on first opening, extra fine	/ 4 l	60	
MINOR, perianth snowy white cup bright yellow, the pistil projecting beyond the brim, very		5	
distinct and pretty, dwarf		00	·
a very handsome flower, extra fine	,	60	
extra fine			
WILLIAM BACKHOUSE, broad imbricated white perianth, clear yellow cup. beautifuper 100, 30	1		
NARCISSUS BERNARDI.	•		5
Bernard's Long and Short Crowned Daffodils.			
BERNARDI, perianth white, cup variable in size and colour from yellow to orange-scarlet of yellow stained orange	r . 7	60	8
H. E. BUXTON, perianth white, cup bright orange-scarlet, very beautiful and remarkably free flowering, cxtra fine	-		
NARCISSUS TRIDYMUS.			
Three Crowned Daffodils.			
A very distinct and interesting section, being a cross between a Trumpet Daffodil and a Taz flowered Narcissus, bearing more than one flower on a stem.	etta e	or Bun	ch-
A. RAWSON, large bold imbricated soft clear yellow perianth, rich full yellow cup, ver handsome, extra fine	,	5	6
S. A. DE GRAAFF, large bold well-imbricated yellow perianth, yellow cup	. 5	60	6
NARCISSUS TRIANDRUS (Syn. Ganymedes). The White Cyclamen-flowered Daffodil.			
These dainty little Daffodils are seen to advantage in pots (6 to 12 bulbs in a 4 or 5-inch pot),	whi!	le on r	ock
work they form a picture full of grace and beauty. ALBUS, an exquisitely beautiful little flower, appropriately called the "Angel's Tears" Daffodi flowers white, variable in size, perianth elegantly reflexed. (See Illustration on Front Cover).	1.		
per 100, 8/ larger sine bulbs, per 100, 10/	6 I		
CALATHINUS, large snow-white flowers, extra fine. This very rare little Daffodil was collected some years ago, by Mr. Peter Barr, on the "Glennans"; the collecting being attended with a good deal of risk. The last few years we failed to procure any, but this season we have been fortunate in getting a few—the last we fear for some years to come. We	e 2.	•	
therefore, recommend purchasers to take every care of this lovely and rare flower			
PALIDULUS, sulphur-white, very beautiful. This is another little species which is now ver rare and difficult to get; we hope, however, some day to be able to procure a few	γ		
PULCHELLUS, perianth primrose, cup white, rare and beautiful		5	6
N. Cyclamineus (page 10), N. Johnstoni Queen of Spain (fage 11), and N. Triandrus varieti Daffodils with reflexed petals.	rs, ar	e the o	nly
NARCISSUS ODORUS (Syn. Philogyne).			
Fragrant Giant Jonquil-Daffodils with graceful rush-like foliage and showy rich yell several on a stem.			
Very graceful, grown 6 in a pot, for indoor decoration, and charming in beds, borders, and grassy slopes, &c., valuable flowers for cutting.	aatui	ralized	ОΠ
ODORUS (Campernelle Jonquil), perianth and cup full yellow, several flowers on a stem per 1000, 25/; per 100, 25/;		6	
and rare. (We believe this to be the single form of Oderus blenus)	- 3	60) 4
charming variety, valuable for beddingper 1000, 25/; per 100,	/ о	6	•••
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NARCISSUS ODORUS PLENUS.

Queen Ann's Sweet-scented Double Jonquil. .

This beautiful sweet-scented rose-like Double Daffodil makes a charming pot-plant, 5 or 6 bulbs in a pot, and is beautiful in beds, borders, and naturalized in grass, &c.

NARCISSUS JUNCIFOLIUS.

The Miniature Rush-leaved Daffodil

DAFFODILS.—GROUP III.—PARVI-CORONATI (BAKER).

THE SMALL-CROWNED DAFFODIL or TRUE NARCISSUS, which includes

BURBIDGEI AND POETICUS (THE PURPLE-RINGED POET'S DAFFODIL): BIFLORUS (THE PRIMROSE-PEERLESS DAFFODIL): POLYANTHUS OR MANY-FLOWERED NARCISSUS (HERMIONE AND HELENA OF HAWORTH); GRACILIS, SCHIZANTHES ORIENTALIS, & SWEET-SMELLING JONQUILS.

DISTINGUISHING CHARACTER.—Crown less than half as long as the divisions of the Perianth.

In this series, *Poeticus* (the Purple-ringed Poet Daffodil) is the flower popularly called the Narcissus; *Burbidgei* is a hybrid between Incomparabilis and Poeticus, and is the connecting link between Groups II. and III. *Biflorus* is Parkinson's Primrose-Peerless, a bybrid of Tazetta and Poeticus. *Gracilis* and *Tennior* are the Helena of Haworth; *Jonquil* the Jonquilla of Linnæus; *Polyanthus Narcissus*, the Hermione of Haworth and Tazetta of Sibthorp.

The early-flowering Poeticus varieties commence flowering in March, and the late-flowering varieties close the Daffodil season in June. Burbidge's hybrids of Poeticus flower in succession from March to middle of May. Gracilis, Schizanthes orientalis, and the Double White Gardenia-flowered Daffodil, are among the latest to bloom. The cut flowers are greatly in demand for bouquets, vases, and button-holes. Referring to the great beauty of these Poet's Daffodils when naturalized, Mr. William Robinson writes, "Four years ago I cleared a little valley of varions fences. Through this runs a streamlet, and we grouped the Poet's Narcissi mear it, also in a little orchard that lay near, and through a grove of oaks. This year the whole landscape was a picture such as one might see in an Alpine valley."

NARCISSUS BURBIDGEI.

Hybrid Poet's Daffodils or Star Narcissi.

These with their light and graceful habit and beautiful blossoms are much valued as pot-plants (3 to 6 in a pot), and for vases, bouquets, and buttonholes; in beds and borders they are specially attractive, while naturalized in grass few plants are so beautiful.

The Burbidgei Narcissi differ from N. Poeticus in the cup of the flower being a trifle longer; they commence flowering before *Poeticus ornatus*, and continue flowering in succession, one variety after another, from March to the middle of May.

AGNES BARR, perianth creamy white, cup yellow, a very delicately coloured refined flower

per 100, 10/6 1 6...0 2

BARONESS HEATH, perianth yellow, cup suffused throughout orange-scarlet, very distinct, extra fine per 100, 45/

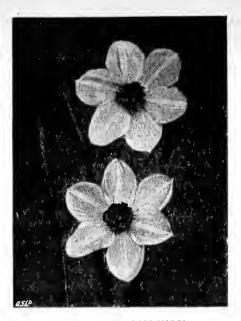
ELLEN BARR, broad snow-white perianth, cup citron, stained orange-scarlet, very beautiful, extra fine......per 100, 21/3

FALSTAFF, perianth snow-white, cup lemon, margined orange, a gem for cutting...per 100, 21/3 0...0 4

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NARCISSUS BURBIDGEI MODEL.

		d. s.	
JOHN BAIN, large white perianth, cup citron, handsome, extra fine per 100, 15/			
			-
LITTLE DIRK, neat primrose perianth, cup conspicuously edged orange-scarlet, the smallest flowered and most perfectly formed of the group, the blooms about the size of a penny piece, beautiful		.a	
per 100, 25/	3	60	4
MERCY FOSTER, crinkled white perianth, gracefully frilled canary cup per 100, 7/6		3	
MODEL, perianth clear white and compact, cup frilled and stained with orange, very beautiful (See Itlustration)		60	,
MRS. C. BOWLEY, new 1896, perianth pure white, glowing orange- red cup, very striking and beautiful. Awarded a Floral Certificate at the Great Daffodil Conference, 1896		•5	ć
OSSIAN, perianth white, with broad expanded orange-scarlet cup, very beautifulper 100, 21/		00	
PRINCESS LOUISE, large white perianth, cup widely expanded and rich orange scarlet, passing off apricol			
very beautiful, extra fine	17	61	9

NARCISSUS POETICUS.

ST. JOHN'S BEAUTY, large channelled pale sulphur perianth, cup beautifully frilled, and edged orange-scarlet, a remarkable flower

VANESSA, neat compact yellow perianth, with expanded cup, shape of flower perfect and

The Purple-ringed Poet's Daffodil or Star Narcissus.

Poeticus divides naturally into early and late-flowering varieties. It is from the early section, especially Poeticus ornatus, that Covent Garden is supplied with forced cut flowers from January to March.

March and April Early-flowering Section.

Very beautiful for indoors, 5 bulbs in a 4 or 5-inch pot. Charming in beds and borders, while naturalized in grass, they present in spring a most lovely sight. ORNATUS, perianth pure white, broad and well formed, cup margined with scarlet, very early,

per 1000, 30/-; per 1000, 3/6 0 6... ... extra large bulbs, per 100, 4/6 0 8... ... GRANDIFLORUS (true), the Giant Poet's Daffodil, perianth pure white and very large, cup

POETARUM, perianth pure white and broad, cup bright orange-scarlet, very beautiful,

PRECOX GRANDIFLORUS, large and early-flowering, perianth pure white, cup suffused crimson, tall grower per 100, 50/ 7 o...o 8

May-flowering Section.

These are quite unsuitable for forcing.

POETICUS of Linnaus, the flowers about an inch in diameter, of good substance and beautifully formed, perianth pure white, cup edged saffron......per 100, 10/6 r 6... ... POETICUS OF GARDENS (The Old Pheasant's Eye), perianth pure white, extra strong bulbs, per 1000, 25/; per 100, 3/ 0 6... ...

Good selected bulbs for naturalization, per 1000, 15s.; per 100, 1/9 0 4... ... MARVEL, very distinct; perianth pure white, cup margined with saffron; a small bladder-like distended spathe about an inch long appears weeks before the flower, and out of this in due

3 6...0 4 course emerges the blossom DOUBLE WHITE POETICUS (GARDENIA-FLOWERED), large double pure white sweetscented Gardenia-like blossoms, prized for cutting

extra fine selected stock, per 1000, 35s.; per 100, 4/ o 8... ...

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HRACILIS, an elegant rush-leaved Daffodil, 3 to 5-flowered, pure yellow, sweet-scented

per 100, 12/6 1 9..0 2

NARCISSUS BIFLORUS.

Parkinson's Primrose Peerless Daffodil.

A hybrid of Narcissus Tazetta X Poeticus

BIFLORUS, pure white perianth, yellow crown, a useful late-flowering daffodil to naturalize per 1000, 21/; per 100, 2/6 0 4... ...

NARCISSUS SCHIZANTHES.

SCHIZANTHES ORIENTALIS, perianth primrose, cup yellow, elegantly lobed

per 100, 10/6 I 6... ...

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